

The Tribune.

STEVENS & BARE, EDITORS AND PROPRIETORS.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26th, 1885.

—Thursday was a "scorching."
—C. F. Iddings—Lumber and Coal.
—E. C. Holbrook, dentist, Thiebeck's block.

—Fresh supply of fruits and vegetables at Jackson's.

—The freight crews on the west end now run through to Cheyenne.

—The only place in town where you can get bananas is at Langford's.

—A number of our ladies will contest for the equestrian prize at the fair next week.

—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Courtney, Sunday night, Sept. 20th, a girl. All three are doing well.

—The sn was directly over the equator on the 23d and the days and nights are now of nearly equal length.

—Prairie chickens are now ripe and ready to pick and candidates are in the same condition, the latter apparently being the largest crop.

—Our merchants have adopted the metropolitan style of displaying goods on the sidewalk. The displays attract much attention and we hope trade.

—The crosswalks recently torn up for the purpose of grading the streets have been replaced in good shape and we are now ready for rainy weather.

—Frank Welser, of O'Fallons, lost his G. A. R. badge last Saturday night some place in this city. Any one finding the same will please leave it with Major Woodhurst at the depot.

—We saw a Hubbard squash at Mr. Cash's market that weighs 4½ pounds. It was raised by Mr. Shaw on the Calhoun place north of North river. We have seen larger squashes, but this is the largest Hubbard we have heard of.

—We are requested to announce that services will be held in the Presbyterian church to-morrow morning at the usual hour. On account of union temperance meeting at Unitarian Hall, there will be no evening services.

—J. H. Hassinger the popular clerk at Brown's recently moved on to his home- stead near Dorp in Logan county, where he also has a fine timber claim. That's about the way it goes—nearly all our city folks will soon become grangers.

—This office is indebted to Gus Hess of Foley's store for several samples of the largest onions we have seen this season. They were raised by J. W. Shurvington who lives in range 28 down near the mouth of Fox Creek. He brought in a wagon load or more.

—Several of our young men are talking of getting bicycles, believing now that our streets are graded it will be a comparative easy mode of locomotion. The Tribune suggests the formation of a club. As a beautiful exercise the wheel is preferable to the roller skate.

—When symptoms of malaria appear in any form, take Ayer's Ague Cure at once, to prevent the development of the disease, and continue until health is restored, as it surely will be by the use of this remedy. A cure is warranted in every instance.

—It's pretty hard to keep track of Russell Watts these days, but about this time of the year he is out picking up cattle for shipment to his different feeding yards. In the Culbertson Review of last week we notice the following: "Russell Watts shipped fifteen cars of feeding cattle to DeWitt on Friday afternoon."

—Union Pacific surveyors were engaged this week laying off a town site at Gannett siding five miles east of town. Our reporter did not learn positively, but it is believed the town will be called Gannett. It is a good point for a station, the ground being high, and being so easy of access by trains at almost any hour of the day will be a favorite suburb of this metropolis.

—The race at the fair ground Thursday afternoon was quite a spirited affair, although not many were present to witness the sport. It was a quarter mile dash between horses owned by Mr. Burke and C. A. Dillon. Burke's horse crossed the score in advance, but being determined not to call it a finish he threw the rider and made a lively dash for town.

—A new social club bearing the title of the Eureka Pleasant Pastimes has recently been organized in the city, the first hop of the season occurring at the opera house last night. The club numbers in the neighborhood of seventy-five members and is managed by the following officers: President, Warren Davis; Vice President, J. E. Grace; Secy and Treasurer, Jas. Dowd.

—There is a rumored change of time shortly to take place on this road to meet contemplated changes on the Iowa roads. Under the new time table No. 1 will leave Omaha some time in the morning reaching this city in time for supper and No. 3 will arrive in the morning about the time No. 1 now comes in. It is also rumored there will be a fast west-bound freight carrying the overland emigrant passengers, making about twenty-four miles an hour. This will be a relief to the now overloaded express trains, which find it difficult to make time with fourteen or fifteen cars.

—The county commissioners met in called session Thursday chiefly to consider the petition for the establishment of a new precinct in the northwest part of the county, and also to transact other business. All that part of the county west of Hall precinct and north of the North Platte river was set off as a voting precinct and called Birdwood. Quite a number of bills were allowed and the question of submitting a bond proposition to vote bonds for a bridge across the North river near this city was discussed. The meeting Friday the proposition was drawn up by the county attorney and signed and ordered published, whereupon the board adjourned.

CHARLES H. VAN WYCK,

Nebraska's senator, one of America's greatest statesmen and an earnest friend and champion of the poor, will deliver an address at the FAIR GROUND on FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, AT 2 P. M. B. I. HINMAN, Pres't. L. C. A. S.

—By reference to our council proceedings it will be seen that a petition for another saloon was filed this week. Our saloon friends seem to be determined to keep our teachers well supplied with funds.

—Travel on the Union Pacific is much heavier than last year at this time, and has been during the entire season. After trying the new competing lines, the traveling public has learned that the U. P. is the best and most expeditious overland route.

—The tensity with which people abide by their early faith in Ayer's Sarsaparilla can only be explained by the fact that it is the best blood medicine ever used, and it is not apposed in excellence by any new candidate for public favor.

—The first annual fair of the Republican Horse Breeders and Driving Association will be held at McCook October 14th to 17th inclusive. The editors of this paper acknowledge an invitation to be present accompanied by a complimentary admission ticket.

—The Democratic brethren of Lincoln county are "urgently requested" to meet at Keith's Opera House next Thursday afternoon for the purpose of placing in nomination a ticket for county officers. The primaries are recommended to take place to-day.

—The Republican primary election for choosing delegates to the county convention takes place in this city this afternoon. There is likely to be a number of tickets in the field from which voters will have an opportunity to choose good men. From present indications the contest will be conducted in a friendly manner as becomes brethren who dwell together in unity.

—The shipment of cattle from Ogallala this year has not been as heavy as in former times and this is probably the last year any considerable number from the trail will be driven there, as the great Texas trail has practically been abandoned or moved westward. A train man informs us that about three thousand head, however, were loaded at the old cowboy metropolis this week.

—The days have been quite smoky for a week or so past, which some have attributed to prairie fires, but this we can assure our readers is a mistake; it is nothing but the fine Indian summer customary on the plains at this season of the year. So far there have been no prairie fires and are not likely to be for some time, the grass being unusually fresh and green.

—A number of cattle have been shot lately whether by accident or intentionally this deponent says not. Last week Mr. McDonald had a fine animal killed in his pasture, and this week Geo. Russell had a cow badly wounded with a charge of shot. It is provoking to have cattle break into your yard, but to shoot them is not the remedy. They can be taken up and the owner required to pay the damage.

Our Public Schools.

Last week we spoke of the rules of the school. They have been drawn up and adopted by the board. There is nothing in them that can be offensive to any one who would wish to have a well regulated school, hence they will be strictly enforced. A copy will be sent to each home where it should be read carefully and kept for reference. Special attention is called to the tardiness, absence, and standing required by the pupils. In fact all should be carefully studied. The teacher has duties to perform also. Notice these: and, if your child has been disciplined, turn to the authority and duty given him in the rules. The teachers, then, have authorities to whom they are amenable, as well as the pupils are held within proper bounds by the teacher. Teachers as well as pupils will be expected to perform their duties. Good results in a school can be reached only when everybody concerned attends properly to his own business.

The principal is required to keep "office hours." He has no office, hence he will keep school-room hours. He will be found in the room occupied by the High school each evening until five o'clock. As soon as the matter can be collected he will keep a full record of all pupils in the various schools. This will include the scholarship, deportment, attendance, time of entry, etc. Any person wishing information concerning the schools, or a patron who may wish to communicate personally with the Principal on any point is respectfully requested to call at the above named hour and he will receive what he desires, cheerfully, if it can be given.

We already spoke of a needed library to teach literature properly. The pupils of the High school were asked to think of some way in which this can be done. The girls held a meeting one evening this week, at which they determined to meet to-day (Saturday) and take some definite steps in the matter. This action is to be highly commended. Other efforts will also be made and it is to be hoped that all who feel an interest in the schools and in the name and welfare of our city generally, will lend a helping hand in this matter.

With the exception of drawing and music, courses in the various branches have been prepared. The former will be arranged as soon as good works can be obtained. Permanent programs will now be made and the work will be pursued regularly. Call and inspect the work when you are at leisure. H. W. ALLWINE. North Platte, Sept. 25th.

Attractive Sales!

For Each Day

In The Week

AT

FOLEY'S.

GRAND LOW-PRICE SALES.

A beautiful and well assorted stock to select from. New goods and rich designs.

Sept. 26th.

PERSONAL.

A Brief Mention of Those Who Come and Go

Mrs. H. C. Rennie came in from the east on No. 1 this morning.

Dr. Buckworth arrived home Sunday after a week's absence attending the fairs in Omaha and Lincoln.

Night operator Haines has been transferred to Sidney, having charge of the office there during the day.

Dr. Clarke returned from southern Kansas the early part of the week. He was in Harper county where they are already gathering corn.

Dr. Wm. Buckworth of McLean county Ill., has been visiting his brother Senator Buckworth this week. The Doctor thinks there is nothing like Nebraska land for investment.

Frank P. Brewer who has been filling a hay contract at the Nowell ranch is in the city to-day attending the primaries, he being a candidate for sheriff before the Republican county convention.

Lieut. O'Dare, of the Fifth Cavalry, now stationed at Fort Reilly, Kansas, is spending a few days in the city. The Lieutenant having been granted a leave of absence has been spending the time in Denver and Cheyenne.

The wife of Mayor Beach and his daughter and his sister and mother-in-law and sister-in-law have gone to the mountains. By the way there are only four persons in the party. Can you guess who is the double?

John Fitzgerald, our new weather manipulator, is getting the lay of the country and will soon be prepared to furnish weather per order. Those contemplating outdoor entertainments will do well to consult him before perfecting arrangements.

Miss Arta Cody started for Chicago Tuesday evening to pursue a course of instruction in music and painting during the next year. Miss Cody being immensely popular in our social circles will be greatly missed.

Ex-Lieut. Gov. John M. Hamilton of Illinois and J. E. Houtz, President of the Lincoln National Bank, were in the city Monday and each procured a quarter section of Uncle Sam's domain in this county under the timber culture act.

Miss Anna Hawkins of Lincoln, a sister of City Clerk Hawkins, is visiting friends in the city. Miss Hawkins having at one time been a resident of this city she is well known by many of our people who are pleased to renew her acquaintance.

Frank Wilson for several years a clerk in the freight office has resigned his position for a short time, believing that outdoor work will agree better with his health. His many friends wish he may soon be restored to that vigor which this bracing atmosphere seldom fails to produce.

Harry McCreary, a former North Platte boy, but now a resident of St. Louis, arrived in the city Thursday morning and will spend a week visiting friends and acquaintances. Harry is the same hale fellow well met as of yore, and is even more handsome than when he left us two years ago.

Isaac Dillon, Lester Ellis, B. I. Hinman and John Keith took a look at the Hall county fair Wednesday. In the 2-40 Anna T. was second on the third heat and would have probably taken second money had she been urged. Joe Davis and Phyllis were both on the ground and were to trot some time during the week for \$1500.

Jim Van Dervoort, a thoroughbred trapper who beat the brush on the Loup years ago, passed through the city this forenoon on the way to the home of his friends in Brownville in this State, having spent the last five years on Snake river in Idaho. Like all old plainmen, he disdains the iron horse and travels the old fashioned way in the saddle, leading his pack animal.

Petition for a New Precinct.

The citizens of O'Fallons precinct north of North Platte river have petitioned the commissioners for the establishment of a voting precinct out of that territory, being about seventeen miles square, and asked that it be done on or before the 25th inst., probably to avoid being held for the bridge bonds proposed to be voted in that precinct to-day, in case they carry. To this of course the board, not being in session, could pay no attention.

The petition was filed on the 23d and is signed by the following persons: Wm. Dikeman, M. C. Perkins, C. F. Peterson, Bird J. Proctor, John Nelson, Clement K. Rhoads, David Potter, Joseph Atkinson, Benj. A. Dikeman, Chas. Darn, M. Feagins, John S. Haynes, John W. Rhoads, John Caker.

LATER.—Since the above was put in type, the board met in special session called by the clerk and granted the prayer of the petitioners.

—Fair commences next Wednesday.

—Republican county convention next Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Conklin and children spent several days in Omaha this week visiting friends.

—Farmers say that corn is now fully matured and out of the way of frost, the past two weeks of dry weather having done its work nobly.

FOUND.—A lady's hand-bag, content unknown. Owner can have same by calling at this office and describing property.

—The efficient clerks at the Star Clothing House took a contract to construct side and cross walks this morning and it is needless to say they did their work in good shape.

—Our reporter made a slight mistake last week in saying that Mr. Iddings' new office building is a combination of Gothic and Queen Anne architecture. It is the finest building of the kind in the city and the architects claim that the style is a pure, unadulterated Queen Anne.

The North Platte Bridge.

By a notice elsewhere it will be seen the commissioners have decided to submit the question of voting bonds to build a bridge across the North Platte river at the approaching general election. This is a scheme THE TRIBUNE has always advocated, and thought and still thinks the question should have been submitted at a special election some time ago when it would not have been antagonized by other interests and when every vote cast would have been upon the subject. The necessity of such a bridge is too apparent to need special argument in its favor. The railroad bridge which has been the only means of crossing the river since the settlement of the country, aside from the great danger to life and property, is not in the right location, and costs nearly as much in the shape of rent as if owned by the county. But this is not the great objection. Every team that crosses is in danger of passing trains, especially in the night; so much so that it frequently happens that persons living on the opposite side will not remain in town after dark, even though it be a matter of considerable importance that detains them. As the time for discussion is short we hope the friends of the measure will get down to business and see that the indifferent voter does not cast a negative vote by leaving both "for" and "against" on the ticket.

City Council Proceedings.

The council met in regular session Monday evening, Mayor Beach presiding, with councilmen Ormsby, Patterson, Van Goetz, Walsh and clerk Hawkins occupying seats around the official table, while city attorney Nesbitt occupied the legal chair.

The minutes of September 7th and 9th were read and approved.

On motion of Councilman Patterson, the clerk was directed to inform the city treasurer of the statute in regard to making monthly reports of the condition of the treasury.

The contract for printing the revised ordinances of the city was let to Stevens & Bare, they being the lowest and best bidders.

The petition of Burbridge & Powers for a saloon license to carry on business on Front street, between McDonald's bank and the Hinman house was referred to the judiciary committee.

The following bills were allowed for work on the streets and making crossings and culverts and the clerk ordered to draw warrants for the same:

R. B. English.....\$ 14 00
Geo. W. Taggart..... 8 00
George W. Taggart..... 52 00
David Bendel..... 22 00
Henry Falk..... 4 00
D. A. Baker..... 20 00
A. W. Keith..... 10 00
Frank Wilson..... 22 00
John F. Hinman..... 681 00

An ordinance adopting the revised ordinances of 1885 was adopted under the suspension of rules, and Council adjourned.

Temperance Meeting.

The public meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in Unitarian Hall, Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, and will celebrate the centenary of the temperance movement in America. Seats will be prepared for all those who attend, and a program arranged with the following:

National Anthem of the W. C. T. U.
Scripture Readings and Prayers.
Music by the choir with Mrs. Ridgway and Mrs. Hershey as soloists.
Chorus by the Band of Hope.
Greetings by Master Glen Brown.
Addresses by Messrs. Smith Clark and J. S. Hoagland.
Paper edited by the Young Ladies' Union.

Essays by Mrs. Shirley and Mrs. Brown.
Recitations and declamation by Miss Carrie Belton, Bernie Searle and Harry Ferguson.
Collection and benediction.

—Unusual care should be exercised in regard to prairie fires this season. There has been a heavy growth of grass, and fires will be exceedingly hard to control when once started. In times past fires have been very destructive not only in the loss of winter range but in the destruction of property and stock, and now that the prairie is covered with settlers are likely to be much more so. Each settler should be well protected with wide fire guards of broked ground and exercise vigilance that no fire be started until such time as the neighborhood is prepared to control it.

Music Lessons.

Miss Anna W. Hawkins, of Lincoln, Neb., is desirous of taking a class in music. Miss Hawkins has had ten years of thorough instruction and comes with the best recommendations from her former teachers, Prof. Saxby of the State University at Lincoln, and also Profs. Draper and Benedict of St. Louis, Mo. Terms: \$10 for 21 lessons one hour each.

BARBED WIRE.

Six car loads of Steel Barbed Wire for sale very cheap. Any person needing a large quantity of wire can save money by buying of me. The wire is guaranteed to be the best of steel and licensed. Correspondence solicited.

JAMES BELTON, Agent.

Senator Manderson who is a member of the Committee on Territories, has just returned from Utah. He thinks that the Mormons hate the National Government and chafe at the restrictions of the country's laws and the presence of Federal officials as an unholy interference and a barbaric invasion. The spirit of sedition, he says, is so deep-seated that no one can contemplate the situation without wondering that it has not long since broken out in open rebellion. He believes that there must be legislation enacted of the most heroic and vigorous character to crush out the "hydra-headed monster."

Colic in Horses, Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is a certain cure for colic in horses. Many horsemen have used it for years and in hundreds of cases without losing one. The dose for colic in a horse is four table-spoons in half pint of water to be repeated in 30 minutes, if necessary. The second dose is seldom required. Sold by Gray & Co.

California Honey at JACKSON'S.

Just Received.

A car of chop feed, bran, screenings and corn meal and all the choice brands of flour just received at Jackson's.

Silver Ware!

Of the best manufacture in large stock at McEvoy's.

Notice.

To accommodate several schools which are to open the first Monday in October and are not yet supplied with teachers, we will conduct necessary examinations at our office on the 1st, 2d and 3d of October, 1885.

M. S. HONX,
Co. Supt. of Pub. Inst.

JUST RECEIVED AT THACKER'S.

I have just received the finest line of Fancy Crockery that has ever been shown in this city, such as:—

IMPORTED BOHEMIAN WARE,
AURORA WATER SETS,
JUGS, CAKE BASKETS,
SQUARE DISHES,
HAND-PAINTED PLATES,
TETE-A-TETE SETS.

And a full line of fine fancy goods principally designed for the holiday trade, but they are recommended for wedding, birthday presents, etc.

Also, I am now unpacking a full line of Persian Hanging Lamps, finer and cheaper than ever before. Call and see.

J. Q. THACKER.

Ladies' and Children's Shoes.

Best in the market at low prices at the Star Clothing House.

HEATING STOVES.

A full line of all kinds of Heating Stoves, Stove Boards, Stove Pipe and Elbows. The "RADIANT HOME" is admitted to be the best hard coal base burning stove made. Over seventy-five are in use in this town and all will bear testimony to the fact that it has no equal. A list of the names of those who use the stove can be seen, so that any person desiring to get a first-class stove can be satisfied by inquiring of those who use the "Radiant Home."

Polite and competent mechanics always ready to put up stoves. JAMES BELTON.

COOK STOVES!

Schrader, Fischer & Behne have established an agency in North Platte for their cook stoves. Their stoves are plain, large and heavy. The expense which the Albany and Troy stove makers put in in nickel plated ornaments to hide thin castings is put into heavier fire backs, kils and cross pieces by S. F. & B. Their stoves are the cheapest and fully warranted. Schrader, Fischer & Behne do not allow middlemen to make a profit, therefore they can afford to sell cheap.

JAMES BELTON, Agent.

—Solid Gold Ladies' Chains and Watches at McEvoy's.

Children's Carriages.

ALL STYLES AND PRICES AT JAMES BELTON'S.

Refrigerators!

Cheap to close at James Belton's.

SULKY HAY RAKES.

FIVE :- DIFFERENT :- KINDS For Sale by JAMES BELTON.

FURNITURE.

Parlor Sets, Chamber Suits, Dining Room Suits.

ELEGANT. DURABLE. CHEAP. JAMES BELTON.

Rich Jewels!

Notwithstanding recent large sales, I still have a splendid line of Solid Gold and Plated Jewelry, which I am anxious to close out and can offer you bargains.

P. H. McEVY.

Grass For Sale.

The grass on the Ferguson place joining the southwest part of town, is for sale at very low figures. For particulars call at real estate office of W. L. McGEE, Over McDonald's Bank.

—Thacker keeps the finest brand of imported Cigars. Try them.

Nobby Hats

In the latest styles at the Star Clothing House.

PRICES ARE ALWAYS THE LOWEST AT THE STAR CLOTHING HOUSE.

H. OTTEN.

Boys' Fine Suits

Cheap at the STAR CLOTHING HOUSE.

PURE CANDY.

The Best and Purest Candy sold in town is manufactured by EVANS & LITTLEFIELD Denver Colo. R. H. Langford and G. T. A. Nixon North Platte have the same for retail.

Falling Leaves.

H. H. Blakesley, the photographer, desires to remind people that it is now a good time to have their residences photographed, while the leaves are still fresh and green, as the frost will soon be with us and scatter them to the ground. These balmy, sunshiny days are the times to make good pictures.

Heating Stoves for Winter Use.

We have the largest variety of heaters ever shown here. In addition to our unrivalled Acorn Heaters, we have the Universal, manufactured by Cribben, Sexton & Co. This is the counterpart of the Radiant Home but greatly improved. It has the duplex or dump grate, round fire pot and much larger flues. We have them in round and square. These stoves are warranted to be excelled by none. They are the heaviest stoves made in the United States to-day. WE BUY DIRECT FROM THE FACTORY AND NOT FROM OMAHA. We can sell cheap. Do not buy until you see them.

CONWAY & KEITH

NEW FALL GOODS.

I have just received a large assortment of Cloths for Fall and Autumn suits and overcoats. These goods are of the very best manufacture and latest design. Call and select a suit while the variety is large.

A. P. CARLSON,
Merchant Tailor.

Sold by CONWAY & KEITH.

Acorn Stoves and Ranges.

We have on hand a full line of the above-named stoves. They are fully warranted in every respect. They are made of the best material and are the heaviest stoves ever brought to this city. We are not afraid to buy two carloads of stoves from the same firm. We have sold over two carloads in the last year and will soon have another. We do not buy our stoves by the pound. Beware of stoves that are bought in that way. If they are as heavy and cheap as advertised, they must be made of poor material. We buy direct from the manufacturers and handle nothing but the best. We defy competition in the above goods.

CONWAY & KEITH.

BUGGIES AND PHLETONS.

Three different makers. Cheap, medium and high-priced at JAMES BELTON'S.

CHALLENGE STANDARD WIND-MILL.

I am agent for the above celebrated mill. I have tested nearly all the different kinds of mills now in use in this part of the country and know it to be superior to all others, which I can satisfy any person in want of a mill who will call and see me. I have had sixteen years' experience in this country and can give new-comers valuable information both regarding the country and the best method of getting water. As the getting of water is expensive and burdensome to the new beginner, I will help out by selling very cheap. Ten-foot mills, full measurement, \$50-14 inch (inside measurement) pipe 10 cents per foot; discount when quantity is bought. I have a car load of windmills in my warehouse now; also a car load of pipe. I have the tools and can fit you out without delay.

JAMES BELTON.

MOWERS! — MOWERS!

RED, WHITE AND BLUE.

The counterpart of the Wood but greatly improved by tilting bar, steel ball wrist pin, sectional braces permitting lost motion to be taken up, improved pitman, etc., etc. Everybody can be convinced that it is the best mower made by calling at the Northeast, Southeast and Southwest corners of Spruce and Fifth streets, where they are on exhibition and its merits shown. A car load for sale by

JAMES BELTON.

NORTH PLATTE MARKETS.

SELLING PRICE. CORRECTED WEEKLY. FEED.

Corn, per cwt.....\$ 90
Oats, "..... 1.30
Chopped Feed, per cwt..... 1.35
Shorts, per cwt..... 1.30
Bran, "..... 1.00

Grand Island "Family Favorite,"..... 2.75
Minneapolis..... 4.00

BUTTER—FAIR.....

Creamery..... 35
Creamery, per box..... 50
Eggs, per dozen..... 20
Potatoes, new, per bushel..... 50
Beans, per bushel..... 2.25
Cabbage, per lb..... 10

POULTRY.

Spring Chickens..... 25 to 40c